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The PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

BOSTON, June 1, 1769.

YESTERDAY being the Anniverſary of the Day appointed by the Royal Charter for the Election of Counſellors for this Province, the Great and General Court or Aſſembly met at the Court-Houſe in this Town, at Nine o'Clock in the Morning; when the uſual Oaths were adminiſtered to the Gentlemen who were returned to ſerve as Members of the Honourable Houſe of Repreſentatives, who alſo ſubſcribed to the Declaration.---

Immediately after the Houſe of Repreſentatives had taken the Oaths, &c. required by Act of Parliament, they appointed a Committee to wait on his Excellency the Governor, who waited on his Excellency accordingly, with the following Meſſage.

May it pleaſe your Excellency,

THE Great and General Court or Aſſembly of this Province, being once more convened, by Virtue of the Authority veſted in you by his Majeſty, and according to the Royal Charter; the Houſe of Repreſentatives think it their indiſpenſible Duty, under the preſent Aſpect of Affairs in the Province, on their Part, to claim that conſtitutional Freedom, which is the Right of this Aſſembly, and is of equal Importance with its Exiſtence.

We take this Opportunity to aſſure your Excellency, that it is the firm Reſolution of this Houſe to promote, to the utmoſt of their Power, the Welfare of the Subject, and to ſupport his Majeſty's Government within this Juriſdiction: To make a thorough Enquiry into the Grievances of the People, and have them redreſſed: To amend, ſtrengthen and preſerve the Laws of the Land: To reform illegal Proceedings in Adminiſtration, and ſupport the publick Liberty. Theſe are the great Ends for which this Court is aſſembled.

A Reſolution ſo important, demands a Parliamentary Freedom in the Debates of this Aſſembly: We are therefore conſtrained, thus early to remonſtrate to your Excellency, That an Armament by Sea and Land inveſting this Metropolis, and a military Guard, with Cannon pointed at the very Door of the State-Houſe where this Aſſembly is held, is inconſiſtent with that Dignity, as well as that Freedom with which we have a Right to deliberate, conſult and determine.

The Experience of Ages is ſufficient to convince, that the military Power is ever dangerous, and ſubverſive of a free Conſtitution.

The Hiſtory of our own Nation affords Inſtances of Parliaments, which have been led into mean and deſtructive Compliances, even to the ſurrendering their Share in the ſupreme Legiſlative, through the Awe of Standing Armies.

His Majeſty's Council of this Province have publickly declared, that the military Aid is unneceſſary for the Support of civil Authority in the Colony: Nor can we conceive that his Majeſty's Service requires a Fleet and Army here, in this Time of the moſt profound Peace.

We have a Right to expect, that your Excellency will, as his Majeſty's Repreſentative, give the neceſſary and effectual Orders, for the Removal of the abovementioned Forces, by Sea and Land, out of this Port, and the Gate of the City, during the Seſſion of the ſaid Aſſembly."

The Committee reported, that his Excellency did not think proper to conſider this Meſſage, till the Houſe ſhould make Choice of, and preſent to him their Speaker, after which he ſhould conſider the Meſſage as coming from the Houſe. Whereupon the Motion was made, and the Houſe came into the following Reſolutions and Proteſt.

In the Houſe of Repreſentatives, May 31, 1769.

WHEREAS their late Majeſties King WILLIAM and Queen MARY, in the third Year of their Reign, did by their Royal Charter ordain and grant, for themſelves, their Heirs and Succeſſors, That on the laſt Wedneſday in the Month of *May* every Year, there ſhould be convened, held and kept by the Governor of this Province for the Time being, a Great and General Court or Aſſembly, for ſuch important Purpoſes, as in the ſaid Royal Charter are expreſly mentioned.

And in the ſaid Charter it is particularly eſtabliſhed and ordained, That yearly once in every Year for ever thereafter, the Number of Eight and Twenty Counſellors or Aſſiſtants, ſhall be, by the Great and General Court or Aſſembly, newly choſen: Which Election of Counſellors or Aſſiſtants by the General Aſſembly, as well as the Elections of a Speaker, and a Clerk of the Houſe of Repreſentatives, by the ſaid Houſe, have always been made on the ſaid laſt Wedneſday of *May*, annually.

And whereas the ſaid Great and General Court or Aſſembly is now convened by the Authority of His Majeſty, according to the ſaid Royal Charter;

RESOLVED, That this Houſe, as one Branch of the ſame, in Duty and Loyalty to His Majeſty, as well as in Regard to their own juſt Rights and Privileges, will, to the utmoſt of their Power, ſupport and maintain a Conſtitutional Freedom in their Elections, Debates and Determinations.

RESOLVED, As the Opinion of this Houſe, That the keeping an armed Force by Sea and Land, in this Metropolis, and within the Harbour of the ſame, while the General Aſſembly, by his Majeſty's Command, is here convened, is a Breach of Privilege, and inconſiſtent with that Dignity and Freedom, with which they have a Right to deliberate, conſult and determine.

RESOLVED, That this Houſe proceed to take their Part in the Elections of the Day, *from Neceſſity*, and in ſtrict Conformity to the Royal Charter: Having before claimed their Conſtitutional Freedom, and now proteſting, That their thus proceeding, while the abovеſaid Forces are ſuffered to remain in the Metropolis, where the General Aſſembly is convened, is not to be conſidered as a Precedent in any Time hereafter, or conſtrued as a voluntary receding of this Houſe from their Conſtitutional Claim.

Then the Houſe made Choice of Mr. SAMUEL ADAMS for their Clerk, and afterwards they choſe the Hon. THOMAS CUSHING, Eſq; their Speaker, who was preſented to the Governor, and approved, after which his Excellency ſent the following Anſwer to the Meſſage of the Houſe.

GENTLEMEN,

I HAVE no Authority over his Majeſty's Ships in this Port, or his Troops within this Town; nor can I give any Orders for their Removal.

FRANCIS BERNARD.

May 31.

At 10 *o'Clock his Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, the Honourable his Majeſty's Council, and a great Number of Officers, civil and military, waited on his Excellency Sir* FRANCIS BERNARD, *Baronet, at the Province-Houſe, to compliment him on this Anniverſary; where there was an elegant Collation provided by his Excellency: At* 12 *o'Clock, his Excellency the Governor, accompanied by the Gentlemen who were at the Province-Houſe, went in Proceſſion to the Court-Houſe, eſcorted by the Company of the Train of Artillery, in their Uniform, commanded by Captain* Paddock, *belonging to the Regiment of Militia in this Town, whereof* Joſeph Jackſon, *Eſq; is Colonel.*

His Excellency arriving at the Council-Chamber, and being in the Chair, the Speaker, elected by the Houſe, was preſented to his Excellency for Approbation, agreeable to the Direction of the Royal Explanatory Charter; his Excellency was then pleaſed to ſend a Meſſage to the Houſe, in Writing, ſignifying his Approbation of ſaid Election: After which his Excellency the Governor, his Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, the Honourable his Majeſty's Council, and the Honourable Houſe of Repreſentatives, went in Proceſſion from the Court-Houſe to the Old Brick Meeting Houſe, where a Sermon, well adapted to the Occaſion, was preached by the Rev. Mr. Jaſon Haven *of Dedham, from thoſe Words in* Pſalm 75, *Ver.* 6, 7. For Promotion cometh neither from the Eaſt, nor from the Weſt, nor from the South. But GOD is the Judge; he putteth down one, and ſetteth up another.

After Divine Service, the Guns at the Batteries were fired, his Excellency the Governor, his Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, the Honourable his Majeſty's Council, &c. preceded by the Officers of the Guards, and the Regiment of Militia, went in Proceſſion to Faneuil Hall, eſcorted by the Company of the Train, where an elegant Dinner was provided, and a previous Invitation given by the Governor and Council, to a great Number of Gentlemen in Town and Country, as alſo to the Honourable General Mackay, *Commander of the Troops in this Town,---Commodore* Hood,----*the Field Officers of the* 14*th*, 29*th*, 64*th*, *and* 65*th Regiments,---and the Captains of the Men of War in this Harbour,---&c.*

In the Afternoon the General Aſſembly met at the Court-Houſe, and elected the following Gentlemen Counſellors for the enſuing Year, viz.

For the late Colony of MASSACHUSETTS-BAY.

The Honourable Samuel Danforth, Iſaac Royall, John Erving, William Brattle, James Bowdoin, Thomas Hubbard, Harriſon Gray, James Ruſſell, Royall Tyler, James Pitts, Samuel Dexter, * Joſeph Gerriſh, * Thomas Sanders, * John Hancock, * Artemas Ward, * Joſeph Hawley, * Benjamin Greenleaf, *and* * Joſhua Henſhaw, *Eſquires.*

For the late Colony of PLYMOUTH.

Gamaliel Bradford, * James Otis, * Jerathmeel Bowers, *and* * William Sever, *Eſquires.*

For the late Province of MAINE.

John Hill, Nathaniel Sparhawk, *and* John Bradbury, *Eſquires.*

For SAGADAHOCK. Jeremiah Powell, *Eſquire.*

At Large,

Benjamin Lincoln, *Eſq; and* * *Mr.* Walter Spooner.

The Gentlemen with this [*] *Mark, were not of the Council laſt Year.*

The Liſt of Counſellors choſen Yeſterday, being this Day, agreeable to the Direction of the Royal Charter, preſented to the Governor, his Excellency was pleaſed to conſent to the Election of the Gentlemen beforenamed, except the Hon. William Brattle, *Eſq; the Hon.* James Bowdoin, *Eſq;* Joſeph Gerriſh, *Eſq;* Thomas Sanders, *Eſq;* John Hancock, *Eſq;* Artemas Ward, *Eſq;* Benjamin Greenleaf, *Eſq;* James Otis, *Eſq;* Jerathmeel Bowers, *Eſq;* Joſhua Henſhaw, *Eſq; Mr.* Walter Spooner; *to the Election of whom he did not conſent.*

Joſeph Hawley, *Eſq; declined going to the Board.*

The Gentlemen who were of the Council laſt Year, and now left out, are, the Hon. Thomas Flucker, *Eſq;* Nathaniel Ropes, *Eſq;* Timothy Paine, *Eſq;* John Worthington, *Eſq;*

The SPEECH *of his Excellency Sir* FRANCIS BERNARD, *Bart. Captain-General and Governor in Chief in and over his Majeſty's Province of the* Maſſachuſetts-Bay *in* New-England, *and Vice-Admiral of the ſame, to the Great-General Court or Aſſembly of ſaid Province, convened at* Boſton, *May* 31, 1769.

Gentlemen of the Council, and

Gentlemen of the Houſe of Repreſentatives,

AS I have nothing in immediate Command from his Majeſty to lay before you, I ſhall at preſent only recommend to you to give your earlieſt Attention to the Buſineſs of the Province. This is got into ſuch an Arrear, that it will require the utmoſt Diligence to get it done within the uſual Time generally allotted to this Seſſion. What I ſhall have to point out to you, will be communicated by ſeparate Meſſages.

I ſhall be ready to concur with you in all Meaſures propoſed for the Good of the People that are conſiſtent with the invariable Rule I have laid down, of not departing from the Duty I owe to the King. The Service of the Crown, and the Intereſt of the People, are Objects very compatible with each other; they muſt be ſo under a Monarch, who makes the general Welfare of all his Subjects the ſole End of his Government. It ſhall not be my Fault, if this Coalition of Duties is not as apparent as it is real.

Council-Chamber, June 1, 1769. FRA. BERNARD.

LONDON, April 11.

Yeſterday Mr. Wilkes publiſhed the following Addreſs to the County of Middleſex:-----April 10.

"GENTLEMEN,

SINCE an Oppoſition to me has been declared by a Miniſterial Gentleman, whoſe Seat in Parliament is purpoſely vacated by the Acceptance of an inſignificant Place, without even the Pretence of 'being ſolicited by ſome reſpectable Freeholders,' I find that the old Artifice of ſtarting another Candidate is renewed with the Hope of dividing you, and of drawing your Attention from the Object of this Struggle, which is between the Electors of Great-Britain and the aſſumed power of Adminiſtration. Several Gentlemen, warm Friends to the Freedom of the Subject, have been ſtrongly ſolicited by the Emiſſaries of this Miniſtry to accept a Seat in Parliament by your Means. They have not however been the Dupes of this Plan of Deceit. They have ſpurned at the treacherous Propoſal. I rejoice that a perfect Union of Sentiment on this Subject prevails in almoſt every Part of the County. The Queſtion is now underſtood to be not who ſhall repreſent the County, but whether you the Electors have the Right of naming your own Repreſentative to Parliament. I am ſure you will not give up that Right, nor quit the public Ground on which you ſtand. It is of the higheſt importance to every Elector in the Kingdom, that after the late Attempt to rob you of this Right, it ſhould be acknowledged and eſtabliſhed. You have repeatedly and unanimouſly denied that any one Part of the Legiſlature could deprive you of your Choice, and this in a Manner the moſt obliging and honourable to me. If then another Candidate could at this Time by any Means be brought into Parliament for the County, the Miniſtry would ſucceed in their Attack, and you would appear to acquieſce in an illegal Claim. You may now have the Glory of bringing this national Cauſe to a Deciſion, of eſtabliſhing the juſt Claims of Engliſhmen on ſo ſolid a Foundation as never again to be ſhaken, of preventing the Sacrifice of this eſſential Right, and the making a fatal Precedent againſt yourſelves, and your Poſterity.

"GENTLEMEN,

"The Attention of the Public is fixed on you, and the Importance of the Cauſe has ſpread a general Anxiety for the Event of next Thurſday. I congratulate the People that the Freeholders of Middleſex are called to ſtand forth; for I know your Vigilance and undaunted Spirit in the Defence of our common Liberty. May ſuch Efforts be crowned with the Succeſs they merit; and may we be the happy Inſtruments of perpetuating the Bleſſings of a free Conſtitution to the lateſt Inhabitants of the whole Britiſh Empire! I am, &c. JOHN WILKES."

St. James's, April 1.

The following Addreſs of the Nobility, Freeholders and Heritors of the Shire of Edinburgh, has been preſented to his Majeſty by Sir Alexander Gilmour, Bart. their Repreſentative in Parliament. Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Nobility, Freeholders, and Heritors of the Shire of Edinburgh.

Moſt Gracious SOVEREIGN,

WHILST we feel ourſelves happy in the enjoyment of every right and privilege, ſecured to us by the laws and conſtitution of our country, we cannot obſerve, without the utmoſt regret, a ſpirit of licentiouſneſs, ſedition and riot, prevailing amongſt ſome of your Majeſty's ſubjects, whereby you are diſturbed in the ſeat of your Government, and the ſecurity of the kingdom in general moſt daringly attacked.

In vain do theſe diſturbers of the public tranquility call the ſacred name of Liberty to their aid. At that glorious æra, when our forefathers ſtruggled for the eſtabliſhment of their lawful rights and privileges, they conſidered their freedom to be ſecure only by the eſtabliſhment of laws and regular government; and therefore we, their poſterity, muſt unanimouſly condemn the attempts of thoſe who, under this deluding and falſe pretence, indulge themſelves in the proſecution of meaſures ſubverſive of all government, and conſequently deſtructive of all liberty.

Prompted as well by loyalty and affection to your Majeſty's perſon, as by regard to the dignity and honour of your reign, we embrace this opportunity of expreſſing our indignation at every attempt to weaken the force of lawful authority; and of aſſuring your Majeſty of our moſt fervent reſolution, to ſupport your royal wiſdom and prudence in the exertion of ſuch meaſures as may be neceſſary for effectually ſecuring the public tranquility, and the ſtability of government. AR. COCKBURN, Preſes."

The following Addreſs has been preſented to his Majeſty by Lord Strange: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Merchants, Clergy, Traders, and other principal Inhabitants of Liverpool, on the 14th day of March, 1769.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

ANIMATED by a ſenſe of loyalty to the beſt of Kings, ſuffer us humbly to approach your throne, expreſſing our gratitude for your paternal care.

We cannot look on the conduct of thoſe miſguided perſons, who have not given themſelves leave to conſider the conſequences of the late ſeditious proceedings, which have ſo unhappily diſturbed the public peace, and tend to the ſubverſion of good order and government, without the utmoſt deteſtation and abhorrence.

Permit us, Sire, as a teſtimony of our duty, and ſteady attachment to your royal perſon, to aſſure you, that we will, with our lives and fortunes, ſupport your Majeſty's government againſt thoſe who dare attempt wantonly, and under the maſk of liberty, to undermine our happy conſtitution. And we further beg leave to expreſs our ſincere and ardent wiſhes, that your Majeſty's reign may be long, proſperous, and happy."

ROBERT BASS, APOTHECARY,

In MARKET-STREET,

HAVING now compleated (in the Mary and Elizabeth, Captain Sparks, from London) a large and general importation of drugs, neceſſaries, and utenſils, in the moſt uſeful branches of phyſic, and ſurgery, begs leave to aſſure the public, he will diſpoſe of them on the moſt reaſonable terms, and warrant every article good and genuine.

Chymical and galenical medicines, prepared as ordered by the London college of phyſicians.

Family receipts carefully attended to, and all orders punctually obeyed, as uſual.

N. B. A few bottles of pyrmont, and Spaw water, black lead crucibles, electrical white glaſs globes, candied eringo angelica, and elecampane, fine caſſia cinnamon, Engliſh verjuice, arquebuſade, or the much eſteemed vulnerary water, vermecilli, almond ſoap, &c.

Freſh patent medicines of moſt kinds, particularly a quantity of the great univerſal medicine of beaume de vie.

Pink root, and caſtor oil, juſt received.

Capilaire, and orgeot. T.b.c.t.f.

Cheſter, June 10, 1769.

BY Virtue of a Writ of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, on Wedneſday, the 28th Day of this inſtant June, at 3 o'Clock, on the Premiſes, will be ſold by Vendue, a certain Meſſuage or Tenement, Plantation and Tract or Piece and Parcel of Land thereunto belonging, containing 250 Acres, ſituate in the Townſhip of Weſt-Nantmell, in Cheſter County, bounded by Lands of Samuel M'Ilduff, Francis Alexander, Daniel Henderſon, and Thomas Alford: late the Eſtate of James Scott; ſeized in Execution, and to be ſold by

JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

Cheſter, June 10, 1769.

BY Virtue of a Writ of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, on Thurſday, the 29th Day of this inſtant June, on the Premiſes, at 3 o'Clock, will be ſold by Vendue, a certain Meſſuage, Plantation and Tract or Parcel of Land thereunto belonging, containing about 200 Acres, be it more or leſs, ſituate in the Townſhip of Weſt-Nantmill, in the County of Cheſter, bounded by Lands of James Kerr, Joſeph Kerr, James Douglaſs, and others; late the Eſtate of William Sheerer; ſeized in Execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

[*For more new Advertiſements, ſee the Fourth Page.*]

By Captain KEITH, arrived here from Cork, and Captain TAPSCUT, arrived at Boston from Briſtol, we have the following Advices, viz.

LONDON, *April* 1.

THE frequent conferences lately held between the Right Hon. the Earls Temple and Chatham, are, it is ſaid, on the ſubject of ways and means to appeaſe the people, and to reconcile the preſent unhappy diviſions.

It is ſaid that Lord C-----m hath declared his diſapprobation of a late meaſure, in terms that will open the eyes of the preſent adminiſtration, and which may probably make proſelytes of more than one of them.

We are told, that if a certain noble Marquis and his friends, come again into office, one of the firſt meaſures will be to eſtabliſh an equal land-tax throughout the kingdom, and to lop off many penſions on the eſtabliſhment of a neighbouring country.

We hear that a change of miniſtry will be the infallible conſequence of ſome late reſolves.

We hear that there have been lately very high differences between ſome reſpectable perſonages, about the utility of granting a free pardon to the patriot, previous to the next election; and that a lady of the firſt conſequence, has declared her determined reſolution of quitting this kingdom for ever, if that event ſhould take place.

April 3. We hear that application has been made to the miniſters, by the heads of a certain company, for ſix ſhips of the line to be fitted out immediately, and ſent to ſecure their poſſeſſions in a diſtant country, which, at this time, appear to be in danger.

April 5. We are authorized to aſſure the public, that the report of the King of Pruſſia having bought in all the demands of the German commiſſaries, who were denied payment by the board of enquiry in London, after the war, &c. which lately appeared in the public papers, is entirely falſe, and without the leaſt foundation.

April 6. We are credibly informed, that the inhabitants of the ward of Farringdon Without, will not be repreſented by an Alderman, till April, 1770.

April 8. A Military Gentleman in the Eaſt-Indies, is ſaid to have loſt 75,000 l. by the Failure of the French Eaſt-India Company.

Advices in the Amſterdam Gazette, ſaid to be received from Jaſſy, the Capital of Moldavia, mention an Engagement between the Ruſſians and Tartars, in which the former are ſaid to have had 30,000 men killed, and 20,000 made Priſoners, and that the Tartars have deſtroyed all New Servia; but as theſe Advices mention neither Time nor Place, they very juſtly obſerve, that the Information they bring is not to be credited.---Yet an Extract of a Letter from Jaſſy, dated Feb. 28, and publiſhed in the Bruſſels Gazette, ſeems to confirm the above, with the following Circumſtances: "That the ſaid News was announced at Jaſſy, by a Diſcharge of 12 Pieces of Cannon, and the cuſtomary Symphony of Turkiſh Muſic." On the other Hand, an extraordinary Gazette, dated the 10th of March, has been publiſhed at Peterſburgh, containing a long Account of the Advantages obtained over the Tartars by the Ruſſians, and wherein the former, beſides being repulſed, at two or three different Places, which they attacked, are ſaid to have loſt in ſeveral Engagements many Hundreds of their Troops.

Extract of a Letter from Paris.

----"*You may aſſure my Friends on your Side of the Water, that one, if not the firſt Article in the Quadruple Alliance, is to keep the Sword drawn till the French are reſtored all their late Poſſeſſions in America. The Impermanency and frequent Fluctuations of your Councils, prevent any Buſineſs being done, or certainly one of theſe Powers might have been bought off. You may depend on it, Hanover will ſoon be in French Hands----you will defend it; and freſh Millions will be buried in the old Grave of Germany.*"

April 13. *The Budget being found on Monday Night laſt full of Breaches, was ſent to a Sempſtreſs in Pall-Mall, to be ſine drawn againſt To-morrow, when it is to undergo another Examination.*

We are aſſured, that the French Court hath given Inſtructions to Count de Vaux, who has lately been appointed Commander in Chief of their Troops in the Iſland of Corſica, to behave with the utmoſt Lenity to ſuch Priſoners as fall into his Hands, and to purſue every Method in his Power, to give the moſt agreeable Impreſſion of the French Nation.

April 15. Yeſterday about half paſt 9, the election for Middleſex came on at Brentford. The candidates were Mr. Wilkes, Mr. Luttrell, Mr. Roach, and Mr. Serjeant Whitaker.

When Colonel Luttrell was nominated, there was much hiſſing, and much clapping; Mr. Serjeant Whitaker's nomination was heard with a dead ſilence; Mr. Wilkes's with a very loud acclamation; and Mr. Roach's with a very loud laugh.

After the writ, and the act of parliament againſt bribery and corruption were read, and the Sheriffs ſworn, the Hon. Mr. Fox, eldeſt ſon of Lord Holland, put up Col. Luttrell. Then Mr. Sawbridge came forward on the Huſtings, and ſilence being demanded, addreſſed himſelf to the public in the following words.

"He ſaid, he need not acquaint them that the affair in point was now a diſpute between A------n, and the freeholders of Middleſex; that ſince the former election, there was a meeting of the ſupporters of the Bill of Rights, wherein he had the honour to take the chair, and that it was reſolved to ſupport Mr. Wilkes's cauſe, as the cauſe of liberty; he hoped that they would now ſtand forth, as they had already done in ſuch a cauſe, and ſhew to the whole world, that nothing is capable of taking away their freedom, the glorious birthright of every Engliſhman, he therefore preſſed this very ſeriouſly, as an object of their conſideration; and concluded by hoping that the friends of Mr. Wilkes, would equally ſhew themſelves friends to peace and good order.

Mr. Townſhend then ſeconded Mr. Sawbridge, and ſpoke to this effect.---"He ſaid, he need not recapitulate what the Gentleman who ſpoke laſt had ſaid, as he was very ſenſible the doctrine of liberty was too well eſtabliſhed in their hearts to need it. He obſerved, that it had been rumoured that the friends of the other candidates would be prevented by Mr. Wilkes's friends from polling on this occaſion; this, he was very ſure, was only circulated by the tongue of malice; nor would he mention it, but as a caution to them to be particularly circumſpect in their behaviour; as the more they were ſo, the more it would proclaim to the world the impartiality of their conduct, and freedom of their choice. He begged them above all things (as they reſpected their own conſequence) to preſerve peace and good order, which conſtituted the very ſpirit of liberty and independance. That it was full time enough to ſhew hoſtilities, when the laws and religion of this country were openly attacked, and attempted to be wreſted from them (which he hoped would never be the caſe) then it was only juſtifiable, and conſtituted the true character of an Engliſhman." Both theſe ſpeeches were received with the loudeſt burſts of applauſe imaginable, and upon the holding up of hands, the majority (indeed it may be ſaid the totality) were for Mr. Wilkes.

The poll began at 11 o'clock, and finally cloſed at half an hour after 3, when, on caſting up the poll, the numbers were declared, at a quarter paſt 5, as follow:

For Mr. Wilkes	1143
Col. Luttrell	296
Serjeant Whitaker	5
Mr. Roach	0

The laſt Gentleman was nominated by Mr. Martin, and Mr. Jones, but at 12 o'clock the Sheriffs received a letter from Mr. Roach, declining being a candidate, not chuſing to take the oaths neceſſary on the occaſion. Soon after which he came upon the Huſtings.

A grand cavalcade of the freeholders ſet out from the Prince of Orange, in Jermyn-ſtreet, before whom were carried 6 or 7 flags (on ſome of which were written Bill of Rights, and on others Magna Charta) all badges of the different ſocieties of which Mr. Wilkes has been made a member.

A great body of freeholders, Mr. Wilkes's friends, preceded by a band of muſic, with colours flying, marched along Pall-Mall, and ſtopped fronting the Palace, where they gave three loud huzzas, and the muſic began to play; this alarmed the guards, who marched out to the gate with their bayonets fixed; but the company marched on peaceably for Brentford, and the ſoldiers returned into the barracks.

As Col. Luttrell, with a ſmall party, was proceeding on horſeback to Brentford, he was met at Hyde-park Corner by a mob, when a diſpute by ſome accident ariſing, ſeveral of the people, it is ſaid, were rode over. On the other ſide the people charged the Colonel, and his party, in their turn, and pelted them ſo furiouſly with dirt, &c. that they drove ſome of them almoſt into the river, and put the whole party in ſuch a manner to the rout, that they rode diſperſed over the field, a few galloped off full ſpeed for Brentford, and the Colonel loſt his hat.

The friends of the two principal candidates behaved with great civility to each other upon the Huſtings.

Previous to the election, above 100 Gentlemen voluntarily offered to take the poll for Mr. Wilkes; and the ſervice of 40 were accepted.

We are told that a certain candidate for the county of Middleſex actually made his will, *in caſe of accidents.*

The whole was conducted with great tranquility and regularity; after the poll was over a number of horſemen, with colours flying, and muſic playing, attended by ſeveral thouſand people, went through St. James's-ſtreet, the Strand, and over London-bridge, to the King's Bench, to congratulate Mr. Wilkes on his ſucceſs.

Yeſterday the publicans, all the way from Knightſbridge to Brentford, ſold their beer at 3d. per pot, which they ſaid was in honour of Mr. Wilkes.

The concourſe of ladies in carriages was yeſterday really aſtoniſhing at Brentford.

At night the inhabitants of all the principal ſtreets illuminated their houſes, the bells of ſeveral churches were rung, and every meaſure exhibited, to teſtify their joy on the occaſion, which was concluded with great prudence and decorum.

Yeſterday the Sheriffs of London were ordered to make their return of the writ for Middleſex, which not being accepted, they were directed to amend their return, and make their report this morning.

It is now ſaid the return will not be altered, as the Sheriffs in that caſe will be liable to be proſecuted for perjury.

A great change in the miniſtry is hourly expected.---The Duke of B-----d, Earl G---r, Viſcount W------h, and Mr. R----y, will reſign, and the Rockingham party will take the lead in the new adminiſtration;---the Marquis, it is ſaid, having engaged to withdraw his ſupport from a certain popular Gentleman, priſoner; this new arrangement has been determined upon while the Earl of C-----m, and his noble brother, were dividing the ſtate between them.

It is alſo ſaid that a firm coalition has taken place between the Grenville and Rockingham parties.

Yeſterday his Grace the Duke of Bedford arrived in town, being ſent for on purpoſe to attend at the Privy Council, held at St. James's, on buſineſs of great importance.

His Royal Highneſs the Duke of Glouceſter, the Marquis of Granby, Earl Temple, and many perſons of diſtinction, attended at the Houſe of Commons, yeſterday, to hear the debates on the public cauſe.

The Right Hon. the Earl of Chatham, it is now ſaid, will be appointed to a principal office in the new adminiſtration, which is talked of as to take place in a few days.

Mr. Serjeant Glynn, notwithſtanding he is now ſo afflicted with a fit of the gout that he cannot ſtand, was brought to the door of the Houſe of Commons in a ſedan, and being put on a chair, was carried into the Houſe by two men, that he might not be abſent at a time when the buſineſs relative to his conſtituents required his attendance and ſupport.

On the expulſion of Mr. Walpole in the year 1712, that Gentleman was again rechoſen by a great Majority; one Mr. Taylor being then in the oppoſition, petitioned, as Mr. Walpole had been declared ineligible, that he might come in on the majority, but there being no precedent of the kind, the whole election was declared void.

Some gentlemen, verſed in politics, are of opinion, that inſtead of the Bill of Rights, it would be more effectual to employ the Axe.

Col. Luttrell, it is reported, was groſly inſulted on his return laſt night from the Houſe, by the footmen and chairmen, one of whom ſtruck him in the face with a lighted flambeaux, on which the Colonel drew his ſword, and returned to the Coffee-houſe, where he was diſguiſed by the help of his friends, put into a chair, and ſent home privately.

The exigencies of the preſent year amount to	£ 6,634,000
Supplies, - - - -	6,688,000

A million and a half will remain to pay debts at the year's end.

Means for raiſing the ſupplies.

By way of land tax, - - -	1,500,000
Malt, - - - -	750,000
American revenue, - - -	30,000
Sinking fund, - - -	1,800,000
Ceded iſlands, - -	38,946
French prizes, - - -	20,000
Gum ſeneca, - - -	2000
Ld. Chatham's ball. as paymaſter, - -	9381
Impreſs money repaid by Mr. Legg's executors, -	3849
Apples imported, - - -	79
Rice exported, - - -	9924
Allowed for German demands, - -	45,838
From 12ds. in the Chelſea penſions, - - -	5423
Overplus of the widows penſions, - -	17,565
Six-pence ſtoppage in the civil liſt, - -	42,000
Six-pence winter ſtoppages from the cavalry in Germany, the money now in pay-office, and regiments agents,	18,566
Stock purſe of two regiments, - - -	3322
Remaining in the war-office, - -	9766
Unappropriated money in the exchequer, - -	59,000
To be raiſed by lottery, to conſiſt of 60,000 tickets, and to be ſold at 13 l. per ticket by the treaſury,	180,000

The prizes amounting to 600,000 l. to be paid in full at the bank.

Letters from Verſailles, dated April 8, ſay, "the King has iſſued an arret of his council of ſtate, authorizing the directors of the Eaſt-India company to form a lottery for 11,100,000 livres, in order to enable that company to fulfil its engagements."

Extract of a letter from Hamburgh, March 23.

"The laſt letters from Warſaw adviſe, that Prince Repnin has publicly given out there, that all who do not declare themſelves to be againſt the Confederates, or would remain neuter, will be treated as enemies; which the Ruſſian generals have alſo intimated to the Magnates of Poland. The declaration has made a terrible impreſſion upon the minds of the public."

We have authority to aſſure the public, that the report of great armaments going from France to the Eaſt-Indies, is without any foundation.

There is no truth in the report of a certain military great perſon being about to reſign; as it is a well known fact, and may be depended on, that he has formed an entire new plan for the regulation of the army, and which he, this ſummer, intends to put in execution----that he ſhares his Majeſty's confidence, and returns it with the moſt ſincere and dutiful affection to his Majeſty's perſon, and zealous attachment to his ſervice.

Several French veſſels have been taken by the Corſicans, one of which was laden with corn, and had, beſides, 3000 crowns on board.

From Leghorn we are told, that General Paoli has received a preſent of a veſſel, laden with grain, from ſome private Gentlemen of a certain nation, who have promiſed him another in a little time.

From Warſaw we have a confirmation, that the Poliſh Coſſacks who inhabit the Way-wodies of Braclau and Kiovia, ſeeing the unparallelled cruelties exerciſed by the Tartars and Confederates, have joined the Ruſſians, in order to defend their country againſt the ſaid Confederates, and the enemies of Chriſtianity.

Some detachments of the Confederates of Great Poland have advanced as far as Schoneck and Stargard, within 6 miles of Dantzick, and after committing divers diſorders, carried off from the latter place two burgomaſters, and the miniſters of the Lutheran church.

Letters from Paris now ſpeak of the treaty, offenſive and defenſive, ſaid to have been concluded between their court and thoſe of Vienna, Madrid, and Berlin, as a report that ſtands in need of as much confirmation, as that of the Engliſh miniſtry having offered to reſtore Canada to France.

The news of the quadruple alliance of the Courts of Spain, France, Auſtria and Pruſſia, was brought over from Paris by the Britiſh envoy, about 5 weeks ago; ever ſince which time our miniſtry have been concerting proper meaſures, to avail themſelves of ſo glorious an opportunity of approving themſelves worthy of the name of Engliſhmen, and lords and maſters of the ſea.

Mr. Luttrell's hat, his loſs of which occaſioned ſo much mirth among the mob, was the cauſe of two or three battles, numbers were ſo deſirous of having it: Wherefore the man, who firſt took it up, ſeeing there was no poſſibility of keeping it with peace, cut it into ſlips, and ſold them to different people.

It is the opinion of ſome very eminent gentlemen of the bar, that the ſubſcribers of a late addreſs from a trading city, are every one of them liable to be proſecuted by the members of the aſſociation for ſupporting the Bill of Rights, for publiſhing a malicious, defamatory libel.

We hear that a very great man has lately, to the very great ſatisfaction and ſurprize of his friends, expreſſed himſelf very much in favour of a certain popular Gentleman.

A great houſe, in a great town, is ſaid to have ſtopped for near 200,000 l.

Yeſterday the election and return of Mr. Wilkes, as member of Middleſex, was declared void, and this day that Gentleman again ſolicited the votes and intereſt of his friends.

The Houſe of Commons, which was very full yeſterday, continued ſitting very late, and met again this day.

We hear that the debates in a great houſe laſt night were carried on with the greateſt warmth ever known in that reſpectable ſociety.

It was this morning poſitively aſſerted, that the freeholders of a certain county, have reſolved on preſenting petitions to each branch of the L-----e next week, reſpecting the member of their choice, and alſo what they apprehend to be their own right.

Many perſons are of opinion, that a petition will not be received by one branch of the L-----e.

This morning there was a great reſort of reſpectable Gentlemen at the apartments of John Wilkes, Eſq; in the King's Bench Priſon.

They adviſe from Leghorn, that a large Dutch tranſport, bound to Corſica with ammunition and ſtores, for the uſe of General Paoli, has been taken by a French frigate, the commander of which unloaded the cargo, diſmiſſed the ſhip, and gave the Dutch Captain bills upon Paris to the whole amount.

WILLIAMSBURG, *June* 1.

On Friday, the 12th ult. at about 11 o'clock, as the ſon of the Rev. Mr. WILLIAM DUNLAP, of King and Queen county, attempted to run from the kitchen to the manſion houſe, a ſquirrel he had in his pocket was ſtruck dead with lightning; the child providentially eſcaped without hurt. The ſquirrel was taken out of his pocket in the very poſture in which it had been ſitting, gnawing a grain of corn.

Extract of a letter from London, February 9, 1769.

"In the courſe of yeſterday's debate, the ſame ſuggeſtions were thrown out as in the Houſe of Lords, ſufficiently expreſſive of the inclination of Government to get rid of this very diſagreeable buſineſs, but attended with exhortations to maintain their own dignity. Upon the whole, I am fully perſuaded, that by a little good management on both ſides, a perfect union between Great-Britain and her colonies may be happily reſtored.

"I underſtand, from Col. Barré, that the friends of America have in contemplation the bringing into Parliament a general conſideration of the affairs of that country, and to take in the various cauſes of diſtreſs; but I do not expect any good effects from it this ſeſſions, nor that the revenue acts will be repealed."

ANNAPOLIS, *June* 8.

On Monday afternoon arrived here in good health, in the ſhip Lord Baltimore, Captain Mitchell, his Excellency ROBERT EDEN, Eſq; our Governor, with his lady and family; on the ſhip's coming to an anchor, off the city, ſhe fired 7 guns, which were returned by an equal number, but on his Excellency's coming on ſhore, in the evening, he was met by all the members of the Council then in town, and a great number of other Gentlemen, under a diſcharge of all the cannon on the battery.---And, on Tueſday morning, about 10 o' clock, his Excellency went up to the Council-houſe, attended by his Lordſhip's honourable Council, where his Excellency's commiſſion was opened and publiſhed.

BOSTON, *June* 1.

Advices from Briſtol are, that Complaints are great among the Merchants, on Account of the Scarcity of Money in Trade, and among the Manufacturers, for Want of Employment.

The Court for trying Piracies, Felonies, &c. committed on the High-Seas, which ſit here for the Trial of ſeveral Seamen charged with the Murder of Lieutenant Panton, met on Monday laſt, when the Priſoners, by their Counſel, filed a Plea againſt the Juriſdiction of the Court: Upon which the Court thought proper to take the ſame under Conſideration, and adjourned to the 14th Inſtant.

June 5. *The maſter of a veſſel arrived at Piſcataqua from St. Ubes, informs, that the Portugueſe fortreſs of Mazagan, on the coaſt of Salle, is taken by the Emperor of Morocco's army; but can't tell any particulars relative to the conqueſt.*

Laſt Saturday afternoon, there being a clear ſky, the Tranſit of the Planet Venus over the Sun's diſk was very plainly obſerved here thro' ſmoked glaſſes, by thoſe who were endowed with ſtrong viſual faculties:--We hear a very compleat and accurate obſervation of the above Tranſit, was taken at Cambridge by the Holliſian Profeſſor of Mathematicks and Philoſophy at Harvard College, in that place; and it is to be hoped that proper obſervations of this uncommon phœnomenon have been made in different parts of the world, by thoſe who have a ſuitable apparatus for the purpoſe, that ſo the ſolution of a very grand and difficult problem in aſtronomy may be obtained, viz. That of determining the Sun's parallax, or, true diſtance from the earth; *which is inacceſſible any other way, and without which the true dimenſions of the ſolar ſyſtem, and the ſeveral orbs of which it is compoſed, can never be aſcertained, nor the magnitudes and denſities of the Sun, Planets and Comets, aſſigned.----So extremely rare are theſe phœnomena, that till that which was obſerved in 1761, there never was but one ſeen before ſince the creation, and that by two perſons only: And now this opportunity is paſt, the preſent race of mankind may take their leave of theſe Tranſits, as no other will happen till the 9th of December, in the year 1874.*

NEWPORT, June 5.

Laſt Saturday, the third Inſtant, the Tranſit of Venus was obſerved in this Town. The Planet touched the Sun's Limb a little Weſt of the Vertical. The firſt Impreſſion, or Moment of external Contact, was 2 h. 31 m. 27 ſ. P. M. apparent Time; Immerſion, or internal Contact, was at 2 h. 46 m. 46 ſ. apparent Time. So the Time from VENUS's firſt touching the Sun's Limb, to the Moment of total Immerſion within the Diſk, was 15 Minutes, and 19 Seconds. Two Clocks were previouſly regulated with great Care. The true Mid-day or Moment that the Sun's Centre was upon the Meridian, was accurately obſerved the Noon of the Day of the Tranſit: Great Pains having been previouſly taken in making a true Meridian, by ranging Two Threads pendant from aloft, with Alcoth and the Pole Star, when they were upon the Meridian. But further obſervations, with Calculations upon the Sun's Altitudes, may ſtill confirm or correct the Meridian.

The Day preceding, and the Morning of the Day of the Tranſit, and during the whole Time of the Tranſit, numerous Altitudes of the Sun were taken, by an aſtronomical Sextant, moſt accurately conſtructed, of 5 Feet Radius, furniſhed with Teleſcopic Sights, and Nonius Diviſions, to 5 Seconds. The Sky was uncommonly clear and ſerene during the whole Obſervation. The Obſervation of the Tranſit was made through 2 Teleſcopes, a Reflector, and a Refractor. The Moment of the firſt external Contact was diſtinctly perceived *through a Reflector, and* given by One Obſerver; *and the Moment of total Immerſion was*

*** To be SOLD, A likely ſmart Negroe BOY, between 10 and 11 years of age. Enquire of the Printers; he is ſold for no fault, but being too ſmall for the ſervice he is wanted.

observed, and announced at the same Instant, by two Observers, one at the Reflecting, and the other at the Refracting Teleſcope. More Time is requiſite for the numerous Calculations neceſſary to give the further Particulars and important Applications of this rare, curious and noble Phænomenon.

The Public are indebted to that eminent Benefactor and Promoter of Science and Literature, the Honourable ABRAHAM REDWOOD, *Eſq; for furniſhing the* Reflecting Teleſcope, *and* Sextant *for this Obſervation.*

NEW-YORK, June 12.

Captain Leacraft, from St. Croix, ſpoke with Captain Shourt the 25th of May, from this Port, bound for Jamaica, in Lat. 27, out 15 Days, all well.---They had Advice at St. Croix, that a Number of Spaniſh Agents from the Main, with Caſh, were gone up to Coracoa, with a Purpoſe of purchaſing Twelve Sail of the beſt going Veſſels they could find, in order, it is thought, to convert into Privateers.

Extract of a Letter from London, dated April 14, 1769.

" The P------ will be prorogued in a few Weeks.---The American Petitions have all been thrown aſide, nor will any thing be done towards redreſſing our Grievances till next Year. The preſent M----y is now more unpopular than ever.---Wilkes's Friends increaſe daily; ſome of the richeſt and moſt reputable Gentlemen in the Kingdom have openly eſpouſed his Cauſe: No Reaſons have as yet been aſſigned by the P-----t for his being expelled the Houſe after the firſt Time: They plead in general, that he is a Man of bad Principles, and worſe Morals. " Dr. W-r-b-rt-n, the learned Biſhop of Glouceſter, is now one of the Minority: He preached a Sermon at the Chapel Royal a few Weeks ago, which gave great Offence to his -------- it was aimed directly at the M----rs, whom he accuſed of being the Authors of all the Sedition and Tumult in the Kingdom.------Some ſay, the K---- roſe up to go out, but was prevented by the ----- who ſat by him;---the Papers will tell you of his being repeatedly inſulted by the Mob, at the Play-Houſe, &c.-----Lord B--- is ſtill in Italy, where he has received many Civilities from the holy Family.------His Name is ſcarcely ever mentioned in London: New Favourites have now become the Objects of the Rage of the Populace.

" The Reſolutions of the Philadelphia Merchants have alarmed the M------ greatly. They wiſh the late Acts were repealed, and yet are aſhamed to repeal them, as it will call their Prudence and Authority in Queſtion. It gives great Pleaſure to the Friends of America, to hear that Manufactures are encouraged among you: Theſe will make you rich; theſe will make you free; theſe will make you happy in Spite of all G---- B------ can do."

The 20th of May, in Lat. 37, 44. *Lon.* 51, 11. *Capt. Ruſſell ſpoke with the Ship Hope, of Philadelphia, from Providence, bound for London; and* 10 *Days after, in Lat.* 38, 10. *Lon.* 68, *he alſo ſpoke with Capt. Hathorn, from Philadelphia, bound for Briſtol.*

Captain Keith, in 8 *Weeks from Liverpool, the* 31ſt *ultimo, in Lat.* 38, 49. *Lon.* 63, *ſpoke with Captain Galloway, in a Brig from Virginia for Borrowſtoneſs, in Scotland,* 10 *Days out. And the next Day he alſo ſpoke with the Ship Two Siſters, Captain Taylor, from Virginia for London.*

Captain Channell, in 17 *Days from St. Ubes, the* 29th *ult. in Lat.* 37, *Long.* 71, *ſpoke with Capt. Martin, in a Schooner from Philadelphia for the Grenades.*

Yeſterday the Earl of Halifax Packet, Capt. Bolderſon, ſailed with the Mail for Falmouth.

PHILADELPHIA, June 15.

Extract of a Letter from London, dated April 16, 1769.

" This City is in a violent Ferment.---Col. Luttrell has taken his Seat for the County of Middleſex, though Mr. Wilkes had a Majority of 847 Votes. The Diviſion of the Houſe runs thus.

Penſioners and Placemen (every Man)

For Luttrell,	199
Againſt him,	145
Majority,	54

" How this will end nobody knows, but the Freeholders of Middleſex threaten to take Poſſeſſion of the Houſe of Commons, and declare that they will not pay the Land Tax."

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman at Hungry River, in Dorcheſter County, Maryland, dated June 2.

" I don't know whether you have heard the diſagreeable News of the Governor of Senegal, with all the Engliſh Inhabitants, being cut off by the Natives, except the Governor's Lady, who got off in a Rhode-Iſland Sloop, one Clark, Commander, and arrived at Fyall about nine Weeks ago. This I am told, with ſeveral other Circumſtances, by the Maſter of a Snow from St. Michael's, who is addreſſed to me, and who arrived here about ten Days ago."

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman in Edenton, North-Carolina, to his Friend in Philadelphia, dated May 26, 1769.

" Our Aſſembly is diſſolved, new Writs are iſſued, and the Election will be on the 18th of July.----Don't you think the Virginians have behaved like Men? I fancy Lord B-------t is greatly miſtaken, and muſt by this Time know, that Titles, Burgundy, and a gilt Coach, will not be ſufficient Inducements to bribe Men out of their Liberties. A Man of War was diſpatched, laſt Sunday, with the agreeable News to the Miniſtry, who, by the bye, ſeem to have their Hands full."

Thurſday laſt his Majeſty's Sloop of War the Viper, Captain Lindſay, arrived here from South-Carolina.

Captain Waid, from Jamaica, on the 29th of May, in Lat. 31, ſpoke the Brig Induſtry, Captain Thompſon, of this Port, bound to Rotterdam, from the Bay of Honduras, 28 Days out, all well.

Captain Keith, from Cork, about four Weeks ago, in Lat. 48, Long. 31, ſpoke the Ship Pennſylvania Packet, Captain Gill, from Jamaica for London.

Friday laſt a Fire broke out in the upper Part of a Houſe in Sixth-ſtreet, but by the timely Aſſiſtance of the Inhabitants it was happily extinguiſhed, after damaging the Roof.

On Saturday Afternoon a Girl about 4 Years old, was unhappily killed, at the upper End of this City, by the Falling of a Pile of Boards. At the ſame Time two or three other Children were very much hurt.

Laſt Saturday Night, about 12 o'Clock, one Arthur Campbell, a Conſtable, in the Diſtrict of Southwark, hearing a Diſturbance in the Neighbourhood, went with a Companion towards the Place, where he was aſſaulted in a violent Manner, by a Number of Seamen, armed with Bludgeons, and wounded ſo badly, that he died the next Day. Several other People were knocked down, and very much bruiſed, by the ſame Gang. And on Sunday five of the Principals were taken up, and committed to Goal.

We hear that the PUBLIC COMMENCEMENT, both for the *Medical Degrees*, and the *Degrees in the Arts*, is appointed to be held in the College of this City, on Friday, June 30th.

ARRIVALS.

From Philadelphia. Captain Biddle, and Captain Emlen (laſt from Madeira) in the Bay of Honduras; and Captain M'Cutcheon, at Belfaſt.

Meſſieurs HALL and SELLERS,

AS the Inhabitants of this Town were, on Sunday laſt, during the Time of Divine Service, diſturbed by the Firing of the Viper Sloop of War in the Harbour, I ſhould be glad to know whether Captain Lindſay intended it in Honour of the Saint, to whom, by the Rubric, the Day is dedicated, or of the Gentlemen whom he invited to dine with him; or whether, by ordering his Guns to be fired when all the Proteſtant Congregations in Town were at Divine Service, he meant it as an Inſult on the Religion and Cuſtoms of the Place? Your giving the above a Place in your Paper, that Captain Lindſay may explain to the Public, whom he has offended, the Motives of his Conduct, will oblige

An Inhabitant of Philadelphia.

☞ The Members of the *American Philoſophical Society*, held at Philadelphia for promoting Uſeful Knowledge, are deſired to take Notice, that their next Meeting is to be To-morrow Evening, at the College, when Buſineſs of Importance will come before them----To begin preciſely at Seven o' Clock.

☞ Neat Hair and black Leather TRUNKS, to be ſold at the NEW PRINTING-OFFICE.

PRICE CURRENT *of the following Goods in* Philadelphia.

Flour 14s. 6d. Wheat 5s. 6d. Indian Corn 2s. 6d. Ship Bread 12s. Middling Ditto 20s. White Ditto 29s. Pipe Staves 9l. Barrel Ditto 3l. Hogſhead Ditto 5l. Red Oak Ditto 4l. Beef 52s. 6d. Pork 90s. Weſt-India Rum 3s. 3d. New-England Ditto 2s. 3d. Pennſylvania Ditto 2s. 3d. Madeira Wine 40 to 60l. Muſcovado Sugar 40 to 60s. Melaſſes 2s. Pennſylvania Loaf Sugar 11d. Pitch 12s. Tar 10s. Turpentine 17s. 6d. Tobacco 15s. to 30s. Rice 18s. Liſbon Salt 18d. Bohea Tea 3s. 3d. Hemp 5d. Cotton 19d. Bar Iron 24l. Pig Iron 8l. Muſtard-ſeed 32s. a Buſhel.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia*, INWARD ENTRIES.

Brig Sally, J. Whitmarſh; Brig Two Friends, G. Coffin, and Brig Peggy, J. Doble, from Boſton. Ship Phœbe, M. Davidſon, Liſbon. Sloop Herring, T. Bond, and Sloop Rennis, E. Higgins, Maryland. Sloop Elizabeth and Sarah, R. Richardſon, St. Croix. Sloop Chance, T. Rotch, Sloop Induſtry, J. Sartain, and Ship Speedwell, J. Wilſon, Honduras. Brig Lovely Laſs, A. Wade, Jamaica. Ship Sally, W. Keith, Cork. Brig Swallow, J. Brice, N. Caſtle, on Delaware. Sloop Elizabeth, J. Cunningham, from N. Carolina.

Outwards. Ship Phœbe, M. Davidſon, for Cork. Schooner Dove, W. Gamble, and Ship Mercury, J. Steel, Barbados. Brig Sally, J. Whitmarſh, Quebec. Brig Harmony, T. Rodgers, Liſbon. Snow Sarah, P. Hunter, Oporto. Snow Sally, E. Spain, Maryland. Brig Two Friends, G. Coffin, Newfoundland. Brig Lovely Laſs, A. Wade, Jamaica. Sloop Elizabeth and Sarah, R. Richardſon, St. Croix. Brig Hibernia, W. Price, St. Kitts. Ship Hercules, J. Scott, for Falmouth.

Cleared. Ship Molly, J. Chapman, Sloop Hannah, T. Parker, and Sloop America, J. Gorham, to Boſton. Ship Mary and Elizabeth, J. Sparks, London. Schooner Little Peggy, J. Watſon, Virginia. Brig Globe, H. Styles, and Ship London Packet, J. Cook, Liſbon. Brig Jane and Sarah, J. Lancaſter, and Sloop Polly, J. Conyers, Barbados. Schooner William, J. Jewer, Honduras. Ship Newry Packet, J. Montgomery, Dover. Schooner Ranger, D. M'Cullough, Jamaica. Snow Anna, J. Livingſton, and Ship Chalkley, P. Young, Briſtol. Sloop Defiance, J. Tillinghurſt, R. Iſland. Sloop Hunter, S. Crawford, St. Croix. Sloop Sally, R. Alberſon, N. York. Schooner Nelly, C. Alexander, Salem. Sloop Cape-Fear Packet, E. Hanſon, and Sloop Patience, W. Ward, N. Carolina. Ship Britannia, W. Deverſon, Newfoundland. Schooner Squirrel, S. Paul, to Nantucket.

To-morrow will be publiſhed, and ſold by D. HALL, *and* W. SELLERS, *at the New Printing-Office, in Market-ſtreet, Philadelphia,*

THE LAWS paſſed by the GENERAL ASSEMBLY, during their laſt Seſſion.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Monday, the 19th of June, at 11 o' Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Adam Haas, in Germantown, A certain Lot or Piece of Ground, ſituate on Manheim-ſtreet, in Germantown, containing about 13 Acres, bounded Eaſtward and Weſtward by Ground of Edward Shippen, Eſq; ſeized and taken in Execution, by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Tueſday, the 20th of June, at 7 o'clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-houſe, a certain lot or piece of ground, ſituate on the ſouth ſide of Walnut-ſtreet, in the city of Philadelphia, containing in breadth about 24 feet 6 inches, and in depth 220 feet, bounded eaſtward by a lot whereof this was part, ſouthward by Edward Shippen's ground, weſtward by ground late of George Bullock deceaſed, and northward by Walnut-ſtreet aforeſaid; late the eſtate of John Hitchcock and wife; ſeized and taken in execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Friday, the 30th of June, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premiſes, that valuable and noted tavern, commonly known by the ſign of the Crooked Billet, ſituate in Horſham townſhip, on Old York road, 16 miles from Philadelphia; together with about 14 acres of land, 4 acres whereof are good meadow ground; the ſituation is pleaſant, and very convenient for any ſort of buſineſs; the houſe has 4 large rooms on the lower floor, and 5 on the ſecond. There are likewiſe a large kitchen, work-ſhop, barn, ſtables, ſheds, and other out-houſes, erected thereon; the whole is in good repair; now in the tenure of Aſaph Wilſon; late the eſtate of Matthias Harvey; ſeized and taken in execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

Philadelphia, June 15, 1769.

To be SOLD by public vendue, on the premiſes, the 27th inſtant, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, if not ſold by private ſale before that time,

SUNDRY lots of land, adjoining the river Schuylkill, fronting the great road, leading from Reading to Philadelphia, and within 5 miles of the city, being part of the eſtate late of Edward Robeſon, deceaſed.

On lot No. 1, containing about 15 acres, is a large commodious well finiſhed ſtone dwelling-houſe, kitchen, ſtable, chaiſe-houſe, and ſundry other ſmall out-houſes, and a well of very good water near the door; alſo one other ſtone houſe, ſuitable for a tenant, with a ſpring-houſe, and 5 acres of very good meadow, watered by a never failing ſtream, about 2 acres of orchard, with divers kinds of choice fruit trees, a good garden, and near 3 acres of woodland.

On lot No. 2, containing about 11 acres, is a ſtone dwelling-houſe, and near 4 acres of woodland.

Lot No. 3, containing about 12 acres, above 3 whereof are woodland.

Lot No. 4, containing 5 acres and a half of land.

The lots No. 1, 2 and 3, are extremely well ſituated for a gentleman's country ſeat, commanding a beautiful and extenſive proſpect of the river Schuylkill; the whole being very healthy and pleaſant. Three months credit will be given the purchaſer. A plan may be ſeen at the London Coffee-houſe.

All perſons that have any demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring in their accounts; and thoſe that are indebted, are requeſted to make ſpeedy payment to the ſubſcribers, otherwiſe their accounts will be put into the hands of an attorney. ANN ROBESON, Executrix; PETER ROBESON, OWEN JONES, junior, Executors. §

ROBERT WILSON,

Has imported in the laſt Veſſels from London, Liverpool, and Glaſgow,

A NEAT and general Aſſortment of MERCHANDIZE, which he will ſell on the moſt reaſonable Terms, at his Store in Second-ſtreet, near the Corner of Cheſtnut-ſtreet.

N. B. All thoſe Perſons indebted to him above the Time agreed on, are requeſted to make immediate Payment. ¶

TO be ſold by public vendue on Saturday, the firſt of July next, at 7 o' clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-Houſe, if not ſold before by private ſale; SIX certain meſſuages or tenements, and lot or piece of ground thereunto belonging, ſituate on the eaſt ſide of Second-ſtreet, a little below Walnut-ſtreet, containing in breadth on ſaid ſtreet near 27 feet, with two brick tenements two ſtory high, and continue the ſame width to Dock-ſtreet; whereon is a new two ſtory brick tenement, well finiſhed, fronting ſaid ſtreet, with a 6 feet alley adjoining, leading up to the back of the firſt mentioned tenements, with a new pump, and excellent water. There are in ſaid alley three brick tenements, two ſtory high, and are bounded ſouthwardly by ground of Henry Liſle, and northerly by ground of the Widow Armit, and Hannah Steel. The above tenements are inſured for 600 l. for 7 years. The whole lett now for above 90 l. per annum. For further information, apply to Mr. PAUL ISAAC VOTO, Scrivener, or JOHN NEWBY, at Fogg's Manor, in Cheſter County.

N. B. All perſons indebted to the ſubſcriber by bond, note or otherwiſe, are deſired to diſcharge the ſame by the firſt of Auguſt, or expect to be dealt with as the law directs, without further notice. ‡ JOHN NEWBY.

Imported in the laſt veſſels from London, Liverpool and Glaſgow, and to be ſold cheap for caſh or ſhort credit, by

JAMES STUART,

In Second-ſtreet, nearly oppoſite the Golden Fleece,

A VARIETY of goods, *amongſt which are calimancoes, durants, ſtriped camblets, ſaggathies, German ſerges, calicoes, cottons, Damaſcus, moſeens, ribbons, plains, ſpotted and coloured lawns and gauzes, tape, figured and flowered bordered handkerchiefs, white thread from No.* 6 *to* 70, *Dundee coloured ditto, check handkerchiefs, cotton and linen checks of all widths, oxenbrigs, Iriſh and Ruſſia ſheetings, bed bunts and bed ticken, muſlins, ſilk handkerchiefs, ſewing ſilk, thread and worſted hoſe, worſted and ſilk mitts, buckrams, Scots ſnuff, table knives, cuttoe and piſtol capt ditto, Barlow and common penknives and razors, ivory and horn combs, garters, laces, bobbins, needles, pins, felt hats, quarto, common and gilt bibles, confeſſions of faith, M'Ewen's eſſays and types, with a variety of other books, chiefly divinity, Dilworth's ſpelling books, primers, writing paper, &c, &c.*

N. B. Said Stuart requeſts thoſe indebted to him above ſix months, to make immediate payment. †

Philadelphia, June 12, 1769.

To be SOLD by the ſubſcribers, executors of the eſtate of WILLIAM PLUMSTED, late of the city of Philadelphia, Eſq; deceaſed, either in the whole, or in parcels, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſers, the following tracts of land, with their improvements, viz.

A TRACT of 556 acres, ſituate in the townſhip of Upper Merion, in the county of Philadelphia, adjoining lands of Thomas Waters, John Moore, Jonathan Roberts, and others. A certain other tract of 280 acres, ſituate in Cedar Creek, in the county of Northampton, and near Grouce-hall, having a ſtone meſſuage, ſtone barn, a wooden tenement, and a ſpring-houſe, thereon erected. And a certain other tract of about 37 acres, and one quarter of an acre, of woodland, about one mile from the laſt mentioned tract, and in the ſame townſhip and county. MARY PLUMSTED, Executrix; ARCHIBALD M'CALL, and JUDAH FOULKE, Executors. §

WHEREAS in purſuance of an act of General Aſſembly of the government of the counties of New-Caſtle, Kent, and Suſſex, on Delaware, intituled, " An Act to enable the owners and poſſeſſors of the meadow, marſh and cripple, lying upon Nonſuch and Mill Creeks, and adjoining Lewdon's Iſland, in the hundred and county of New-Caſtle, on Delaware, to imbank and drain the ſame, to keep the outſide banks and dams in good repair for ever, and to raiſe a fund for doing thereof;" the following pieces or parcels of marſh, meadow ground, and crippie, were duly rated, agreeable to the act aforeſaid, viz. A piece or parcel of meadow ground, marſh, and cripple, deemed to contain 200 acres, and adjoining Lewdon's Iſland, Nonſuch, and the Mill Creeks, deemed the property of Joſeph Lewdon. Alſo a piece of marſh or meadow ground, deemed to contain 35 acres, and adjoining marſhes of Zachariah Van Leuvenigh, and Alexander Harvey, deemed the property of Matthias Morton. And whereas the owners of ſaid marſh, &c. have refuſed or neglected to pay to the treaſurer the ſaid rate or aſſeſſment which, according to the ſaid act, was aſſeſſed, and laid upon the ſaid marſh, &c. for the repairing and ſupporting the banks and dams aforeſaid. This is to give notice, that on Saturday, the 24th inſtant June, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, at the dam acroſs Nonſuch, will be expoſed to public ſale, to the higheſt bidder, for the payment of the ſaid tax or aſſeſſment, the marſhes, meadow ground, or cripple above deſcribed, or ſuch part thereof as will be ſufficient to anſwer the ſaid tax, and all charges accruing thereon, by reaſon of the non-payment or refuſal thereof. ALEXANDER HARVEY, Manager. §

York County, in Pennſylvania, June 10, 1769.

RUN away, on the 13th *of March laſt, from the Subſcriber, at Saſquehanna, near Harris's Ferry, a Negroe Man, called Will, alias William Keith; he is about* 5 *feet* 9 *Inches high, thin viſaged, a little Pock-marked, not very black, about* 40 *Years old, a ſmooth talking Fellow, can be very mannerly, reads and writes, and is a Cooper by Trade, and is alſo very handy about a Farmer's Houſe; he is well acquainted in Philadelphia, having learnt his trade there, and lived ſeveral Years ago with Dr. Graham, of that City; he had on, when he went away, a brown homeſpun Cloth Coat, pretty much worn, yellow Buttons; an old white Flannel Jacket, Buckſkin Breeches, and an old Felt Hat. He told on the Road, that he was a free Negroe, formerly belonging to one Mr. Blunſton, of Lancaſter County. Whoever takes up ſaid Slave, and ſecures him, ſo that his Maſter, the Subſcriber, may have him again, ſhall have THREE POUNDS Reward, and reaſonable Charges, paid by*

¶ WILLIAM CHESNEY.

N. B. All Maſters of Veſſels are requeſted not to carry him off.

Burlington, June 12, 1769.

NOTICE is hereby given to CURTIS GRUBB, of Lancaſter, in the Province of Pennſylvania, that THOMAS CASON, a Servant of his, is now in my Cuſtody, and that he is deſired to come or ſend ſoon, pay Charges, and take him away; or to inform me, whether I ſhall diſpoſe of him for the ſame.

¶ EPHRAIM PHILIPS, *Goaler.*

To be SOLD by public vendue, at the WIDOW WILLIAMS's, at the corner of Lombard and Front-ſtreets, on Saturday, the 24th day of June, if not ſold before by private ſale,

A LARGE frame chaiſe ſhed, 90 feet by 15, and will contain 18 carriages, together with a good frame ſhop, 20 feet by 30, and is very ſuitable either for a carpenter or a cabinet maker: Both theſe buildings are on a lot of ground 40 feet front on Second-ſtreet, and 100 feet deep, oppoſite to Charles Coxe's, near the corner of Union-ſtreet, ſubject to a ground rent of 10l. per annum. The advantageous ſituation, for either of the above buſineſſes, or almoſt any other (it being in a public part of the city) will render it very valuable to the purchaſer. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe before the day fixed for the ſale, may view the premiſes, and know the terms, by applying to WILLIAM SCULL, in Union-ſtreet. The buyer may have 2 months credit, on giving good ſecurity. The ſaid Scull carries on the buſineſs of chaiſe and harneſs making, as uſual, in the neateſt manner. He has a warranted eight day clock, with a neat mahogony caſe, which will be ſold at the ſame time. ‡

To be LETT for a Term of Years, or SOLD,

THE Plantation of Samuel Hunter, ſenior, ſituate at Fort Hunter, in Paxton townſhip, Lancaſter county, and province of Pennſylvania, lying on the bank of Saſquehanna, 7 miles above Harris's Ferry, on the road that leads to Juniata, and up the river, containing 300 acres, 100 whereof is clear, 30 acres of meadow, well watered, and under good fence; a good bearing orchard, containing 5 acres, a large garden, well pailed in, a good dwelling-houſe, 60 feet by 24, the one half ſtone, and the other walnut logs, with a large cellar under the ſtone end; a double geered griſt-mill, over ſhot, fit for either country work or merchant, being about 100 yards from the dwelling-houſe, on a ſtream called Eaſt Fiſhing Creek, which never fails, with a ſtill-houſe, two ſtills, and all veſſels neceſſary for the diſtillery, a good barn, and 3 ſtables, a good ſpring, within 20 yards of the houſe, being a ſuitable place for either tavern or ſtore. Likewiſe to be ſold by the ſubſcriber, 300 acres of land, above and joining the above lands, on Eaſt Fiſhing Creek, with a good dwelling-houſe, and a good fulling-mill, lately erected thereon, and all the utenſils, with a large copper dying kettle, with a ſhop, and ſtable. For terms, apply to the ſubſcriber, on the premiſes. ¶ SAMUEL HUNTER, ſenior.

TEN SHILLINGS Reward.

STRAYED away, about eight days paſt, a large red and white COW, ſhe has large horns, and Ludwig Karcher, marked on them. Whoever takes up the ſaid cow, and brings her to LUDWIG KARCHER, in Fifth-ſtreet, near Vine-ſtreet, ſhall receive the above reward. *June* 7, 1769. ¶

*** The OPERA of LOVE in a VILLAGE, is put off till Monday, the Nineteenth Inſtant. ¶

ALL Perſons that have any Demands againſt the Eſtate of Jeſſe Tyſon (late of Abington, deceaſed) are deſired to bring in their Accounts to the Subſcribers, and they may receive what is due to them; and thoſe that are indebted to ſaid Eſtate, are deſired to make ſpeedy Payment, to prevent Trouble.

WILLIAM ASHBRIDGE,
§ JONATHAN LIVEZEY, } Executors.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND, containing about 1100 acres, for the moſt part well timbered and watered, ſituate in Suſſex county, on Delaware, within two miles of two public landings, on Muſpilion creek, from whence grain may be brought at the eaſy rate of Three-pence per buſhel to Philadelphia, it lies convenient to 3 griſt-mills, and ſeveral places of worſhip of different denominations; it will be ſold together, or divided into parcels, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſers. The title is indiſputable. For Terms, apply to JOSHUA FISHER and SONS, or BENJAMIN WYNKOOP, in Philadelphia; or, WILLIAM HAZARD, at the Fork Landing, on Muſpilion, near the premiſes.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of Abel Pearſon, late of the City of Philadelphia, deceaſed, are deſired to make ſpeedy Payment; and thoſe that have any Demands againſt the ſame, are deſired to bring in their Accounts, that they may be adjuſted and paid by MARY PEARSON, Adminiſtratrix. ¶

Lancaſter County, May 17, 1769.

RUN away from the Subſcriber, living at Speedwell Forge, an Iriſh ſervant man, named Nicholas Forſter Hughes, he is about 30 years of age, about 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, of a thin viſage, pale complexion, and has black curled hair; he is a great lover of ſtrong liquor, and very quarrelſome when drunk; had on, when he went away, an old beaver hat, lightiſh coloured nap coat, a ſpotted ſwanſkin jacket, check ſhirt, leather breeches, worſted ſtockings, and good ſhoes; perhaps he may change his name, and, as he is a very good ſcholar, it is very likely he will forge a paſs. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant, ſo as his maſter may have him again, ſhall receive THREE POUNDS reward, paid by me

¶ JAMES OLD.

Philadelphia, June 9, 1769.

RUN away, from on board the Brigantine Nancy, DANIEL DINGEE Maſter, from Cork, on the Morning of the 7th Inſtant, two Iriſh Servant Men, one named WILLIAM LYONS, about 5 feet 5 Inches high, and a well ſet Fellow, has a remarkable ſquinting ill Look, is ſuppoſed to have changed his Cloaths, and to appear as a Sailor; he is a Fuller and Dyer by Trade. The other named JOHN MAHER, about the ſame Height, ſmooth Face, dark Complexion, and crooked Noſe, wears his own Hair tied behind, and profeſſes to have ſerved as a Gentleman's Servant. Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servants, ſo that their Maſter may have them again, ſhall have FIVE POUNDS Reward, or FIFTY SHILLINGS for each or either of them, and reaſonable Charges, paid by the ſaid DANIEL DINGEE, or JOSHUA FISHER and SONS. †

TEN POUNDS Reward.

ON Sunday, the 28th of May, 1769, at night, the houſe of the Subſcriber, living in Sadſbury townſhip, Cheſter county, was broke open, and robbed of Fifty-ſix Pounds Sixteen Shillings; the money being 4 Half Johannes's, 4 or 5 Dollars, and the reſt paper. Whoever will apprehend the perſon or perſons that took the ſame, ſo that he, ſhe, or they, may be brought to juſtice, and the money had again, ſhall have the above reward, paid by me DAVID M'CLURE. ‖

WHEREAS a certain DAVID ROBERTS, of Gwynedd townſhip, in the county of Philadelphia, obtained a note of hand, for Fifty Shillings, money of Pennſylvania, from William Inger, Jacob Inger, and John Inger, jointly; to be paid the 27th of November, 1769; and two bonds, for Ten Pounds each, one of which payable the 27th of November, 1770, and the other on the 27th of November, 1771, all which ſaid obligations are dated the 11th of March, 1769, but being fraudulently obtained, we hereby forewarn all perſons from taking an aſſignment of either of them, as we will not pay any of ſaid ſums, unleſs compelled by law.

WILLIAM INGER,
June 6, 1769. ¶ JACOB INGER,
JOHN INGER.

STRAYED or ſtolen, the 10th of May laſt, from the paſture of Harman Youngkin, in Bucks county, a black MARE, 4 years old this ſpring, paces, trots, and hand gallops, ſhod before, with old ſhoes, has a remarkable running wart at the root of her near ear, light bodied, and about 14 hands high. Whoever takes up ſaid mare and thief, ſo that the owner may have her again, and the thief brought to juſtice, ſhall have FOUR POUNDS reward, or Twenty Shillings for the mare only, and reaſonable charges, paid by THOMAS BARTON, in New-Britain townſhip, or ſaid HARMAN YOUNGKIN. ¶

THREE POUNDS Reward.

RUN away, on the 5th of this inſtant June, from the Subſcriber, living near Cohanſey Bridge, in Weſt New-Jerſey, a German ſervant man, named William Peineburg, about 45 years of age, 5 feet 4 inches high, has grey hair, a dark complexion, and a ſtiff walk; had on, when he went away, an old felt hat, a green broadcloth coat, with yellow lining and cuffs, a brown waiſtcoat, a homeſpun linen ſhirt, tow trowſers, blue yarn ſtockings, and half worn ſhoes; he took with him, a light blue half worn coat, another homeſpun linen ſhirt, a pair of thickſet breeches, and two yards of ſtriped lincey, he alſo took with him a black dog, of a middle ſize, with a ſhort cut tail, and ſome curled hair on the back. Whoever takes up the ſaid ſervant, and ſecures him, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by me JACOB MILLER. ‖

WHEREAS Matthew Hallowell, late of the Townſhip of Horſham, in the county of Philadelphia, hath aſſigned over to us the ſubſcribers, all his eſtate in truſt, for the Uſe of his creditors. Theſe are therefore to requeſt all perſons that have any demands againſt ſaid eſtate, to meet at the houſe of Aſaph Wilſon, at the ſign of the Crooked Billet, in the Manor of Moreland, on the 19th day of June, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to receive their dividends of ſaid eſtate, otherwiſe be excluded from the ſame.
EZEKIEL CLEAVER, DANIEL THOMAS, Aſſignees. ‡

Carliſle, May 17, 1769.

IN purſuance of an order of Orphan's Court, held at Carliſle the 16th day of this inſtant, will be ſold by public vendue, on Tueſday, the 20th of June next, at 10 o'clock, a valuable plantation and tract of land, ſituate on Canedogwainet creek, about two miles from ſaid town, containing 160 acres, and allowance, a good dwelling-houſe, two ſtory high, a good barn, and ſtables, about 40 acres of upland clear, 35 acres of extraordinary good mowable meadow, and above 20 more may be made; the whole under good fence, the upland good, and well timbered. The plantation is now under leaſe for 4 years from the firſt of April next. The ſale will be held on the premiſes, and time given for part of the purchaſe money, being the real eſtate of Henry Cowan, deceaſed. Attendance will be given by

§ MARY COWAN, Adminiſtratrix.

Cheſter, June 1, 1769.

PURSUANT to an order of the Orphan's Court for Cheſter county, will be expoſed to ſale by public vendue, on the premiſes, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on Monday, the 19th day of June inſtant, a certain meſſuage, or tenement, plantation, and tract or parcel of land thereunto belonging, ſituate in London Grove townſhip, in the ſaid county, containing 143 acres, and the uſual allowance of 6 acres per cent. for roads, &c. be the ſame more or leſs; late the eſtate of Andrew Caldwell, deceaſed, and to be ſold by JANE CALDWELL, and ANDREW CALDWELL, Adminiſtrat. ¶

LOST in NEW-YORK,

ON Monday, May 22, 1769, a Lady's PLAIN GOLD WATCH, made in LONDON, by WEBSTER; on Back of it engraved a Lion Rampant, holding a Pen in his Paw. Whoever will bring it to the PRINTERS of this Paper, ſhall have TEN DOLLARS Reward, and no Queſtions aſked; if offered for Sale, pray ſtop it, and the Party. §

TO be ſold by public vendue, on Saturday, the 17th inſtant, at 7 o'clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-houſe, a good Virginia built ſchooner, about 10 months old, with all her ſails, &c. as ſhe now lies in Mr. Meaſes's dock, below the Drawbridge. For further particulars, apply to ſaid Meaſe, who will ſhew the veſſel, ſails, &c.

If ſecurity is given, three months credit, without intereſt, or twelve months credit, on paying intereſt, will be allowed. ‖

TO be ſold by public vendue, on Friday, the 16th inſtant June, on the premiſes, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, a plantation, containing about 22 acres, late the eſtate of JAMES LOWNES, part in Paſſyunk, and part in Moyamenſing townſhips, ſituate near Robert Smith's place, on the 5 mile road; there are on the premiſes, a large new framed houſe, a new barn, and an old dwelling houſe, a good bearing orchard, about 5 acres of meadow, and a good ſpring of water; a great part of the upland is well adapted for gardening. Part of the purchaſe money may lie on intereſt. For further particulars enquire of ISAAC SNOWDEN, EMANUEL EYRES, BENJAMIN BONSALL, GEORGE YOUNG, or RICHARD HUMPHREYS, aſſignees of ſaid LOWNES. ‡

ON the 20th day of this inſtant June, will be expoſed to SALE, by public vendue, on the premiſes, A certain plantation, and tract of land, lying and being in the townſhip of Upper Makefield, Bucks county, containing 100 acres, or upwards, being beautifully ſituated, having a houſe and barn thereon, and other buildings, likewiſe an extraordinary good orchard of grafted fruit, plenty of good meadow, well wooded and watered, &c. The payments will be made very eaſy, by the owner, JOHN SCOTT. ‖

TO be ſold, or rented, by the Subſcriber, living in Baltimore county, Maryland, on the 30th day of this inſtant June, the noted ONION's IRON-WORKS, ſituated in the county and province aforeſaid, on the head of Gunpowder river, to wit, two forges, a furnace, griſt-mill, and ſaw-mill, all of which in about 100 yards diſtance from each other, and a ſufficient number of out-houſes, ſuch as dwelling-houſes, ſmoke-houſes, chair-houſe, carpenter's, and blackſmith's ſhops, ſtables, &c. and at the head of navigable water, where flats and ſcows may carry off the iron to the town of Joppa, where large craft may receive it, which is not above one mile from ſaid works; together with about 8 or 9000 acres of land adjoining, chief of which is good farming land, and, with little expence, may be made a large quantity of good meadow; on ſaid land is great plenty of iron ore, and wood within a ſmall diſtance of ſaid works. ZACCHEUS ONION. § 7/6.

To be SOLD, by public VENDUE,

By the Subſcribers, on Monday, the 19th of June, at two o' clock in the afternoon, on the premiſes,

A LOT of GROUND, and a two ſtory brick HOUSE, with a good cellar under it, and two rooms on a floor, a brick kitchen, wooden ſtable, and other buildings, ſituate in Arch-ſtreet, oppoſite the Friends Burying-ground; the houſe and lot contains 20 feet in front on ſaid ſtreet, and the lot extends in depth to Cherry-alley; the whole ſubject to a yearly groundrent of Four Pounds ſterling. At the ſame time and place will alſo be ſold, a lot of marſh land on Petty's Iſland, containing 4 acres and 70 poles. Alſo, ſundry houſhold goods, conſiſting of beds, bedding, drawers, &c. &c. late the eſtate of John Gaul, deceaſed. MICHAEL BAKER, JACOB RENO, and MAGDALENE GAUL, Execut. ¶

Lower Merion, May 27, 1769.

To be ſold at public vendue, on Thurſday, the 22d day of June next, on the premiſes,

THE meſſuage and plantation formerly of Mr. Daniel Biles, deceaſed, ſituate in Merion, 7 miles diſtant from Philadelphia, containing 217 acres of land. Its ſite being, for health and proſpect, as agreeable as any place in the county; the ſoil good, and well watered, a ſufficient quantity of woodland, 12 acres of meadow, and more may be made, a large and good orchard of the beſt fruit, as apples, pears, cherries, &c. a large commodious dwelling-houſe and kitchen, with a good well of water adjoining the ſame, a large barn, barracks, and convenient ſheds for cattle, a good ſtone ſpring-houſe, over a never-failing ſpring, with many other conveniencies, ſuitable for a gentleman or farmer. A draft of the ſame may be ſeen at the London Coffee-houſe, or on the premiſes, which will be ſhewn to any perſons inclined to view the ſame before the day of ſale; the conditions whereof will be made known, and an indiſputable title given, by JENET, WILLIAM and JOHN ADDUDDLE, Execut. of WILLIAM ADDUDDLE, deceaſed. ‡

RUN away from his bail, living in Queen-Anne's county, Maryland, a certain AARON YOE; he is about 5 feet 6 inches high, of a dark complexion, wears his own hair; had on, and took with him, when he went away, an old felt hat, an old claret coloured coat, a country made ſhirt, and a pair of old black breeches; his other apparel unknown. Whoever takes up ſaid perſon, and ſecures him, ſo that the Subſcribers (who are his bail in ſeveral actions) may get him again, ſhall receive Forty Shillings Pennſylvania currency reward, paid by

§ THOMAS WRIGHT,
April 26, 1769. WILLIAM YOE.

TO be SOLD, a three ſtory brick houſe and lot, on the north ſide of Market-ſtreet, near the corner of Second-ſtreet, containing in front, on ſaid ſtreet, 16 feet 6 inches, including a 3 feet alley, over which the houſe is built, and in length 102 feet. The houſe is 36 feet deep, with a brick kitchen, one ſtory, and a ſmall apartment, two ſtories high, between the houſe and kitchen; there is alſo at the end of ſaid lot, a 2 ſtory brick tenement, 16 feet by 15; bounded northward by Benjamin Hooton's lot, eaſtward by Hugh Hodge's houſe and lot, and weſtward by the houſe and lot now in the tenure of the widow Coombes; ſubject to a groundrent of 12 l. currency per annum, and is inſured for 7 years. For further particulars, enquire of JOSEPH REDMAN, in Market-ſtreet, or Dr. JOHN REDMAN, in Second-ſtreet.

GOOD HEMP,

To be SOLD, by
JOSEPH PEMBERTON,
On the North Side of RACE-STREET, the third Door from the Corner of THIRD-STREET. †5t. Tbc.

TEN POUNDS Reward.

RUN away from the Subſcriber, living on Kent-Iſland, Queen-Anne's county, Maryland, the 9th of May inſtant, at night, two ſervant men, viz. John Jennings, a convict, by trade a ſhoemaker; and Benjamin Webber, an indented ſervant, a weaver by trade; ſaid Jennings is about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, of a thin viſage, has a ſcar acroſs his left cheek, has thin brown hair, freſh cut on the crown, but may have it cut off, is fond of ſtrong liquor, and when drunk is very bold; both of them are Engliſhmen, born in or near Coventry; Jennings took a pair of leather breeches, patched, and ſewed with white thread, a bearſkin jacket, made in a plain manner, a bearſkin great coat, almoſt new, of a light cloth colour, old but, a pair of new ſhoes that do not fit him, and other things unknown; it is probable they may change their dreſs and names, and I do expect they have a forged paſs or diſcharge, on ſome aſſignment or indenture. Benjamin Webber has a bearſkin jacket, made in a plain manner, a bearſkin ſurtout, mended on the elbows with another ſort of cloth, white hoſe, his ſhoes have been lately ſoaled, with other things unknown. Whoever takes up ſaid ſervants, and ſecures them in any goal in this province, ſhall have Three Pounds reward, current money, for Jennings, and Forty Shillings for Webber, and if out of the province Six Pounds for Jennings, and Four Pounds for Webber, and reaſonable charges, if brought to Queen's-Town goal, paid by

¶ BENJAMIN KIRBY.

N. B. Jennings took with him a good ſett of ſhoe-maker's tools, and ſome leather; I forewarn all maſters of veſſels taking them on board.

Juſt imported, in the Mary and Elizabeth, Captain Sparks, and other Veſſels, from LONDON, by

JOSEPH STANSBURY,

And now ſelling at his Shop in Second-ſtreet, near Arch-ſtreet,

A NEAT aſſortment of China, glaſs, cream coloured, flint, Nottingham and delph wares, conſiſting of CHINA diſhes, table plates, variety of tea and coffee cups and ſaucers, blue and white, burnt, enamelled and penciled; cuſtard cups, Nankin breakfaſt ſetts; a genteel tea table ſett, enamelled; tea pots, jarrs and beakers; a large aſſortment of bowls, from 3 quarts to half pints, great choice of right tavern bowls; and a very neat tureen and diſh, blue and white. CREAM COLOURED fruit plates and ſtands, leaves and ſcollop ſhells of different ſizes, extremely neat, bread baſkets, diſhes and covers, ſugar bowls, pierced and plain, ſallad diſhes, water jugs, tureens, cheeſe-toaſters and warming pans, candleſticks, new pattern, and well proportioned; ſauce boats, garden pots, pierced deſert plates, coffee pots, flower pots, prints for blanc-mangée, and baking diſhes of all ſizes. WHITE STONE plates, plain and figured edges, ſome of a very ſuperior quality, quart, pint, and half pint mugs and bowls, coffee cups and ſaucers, chamber pots, enamelled bowls, and cups and ſaucers, NOTTINGHAM pudding diſhes, bowls, jugs and mugs. DELF bowls in great variety, plain and coloured plates, painted bottles and baſons, chamber pots, and ſugar diſhes. Some very neat *Red China* tea and water pots, marbled and gilt ditto. GLASS decanters and muſtard pots, with plain and ground ſtoppers, plain, enamelled and engraved wines, very cheap, wine and water rummers, ſalts, cut and plain, cream jugs, with feet and without, cruits, flowered tumblers, and many other articles, the whole of the beſt quality, highly finiſhed in an excellent taſte, and at very reaſonable prices.

Black lead pencils of all ſizes and prices, Durnford and London pins, Whitechapel and common needles, ſorted, pocket looking-glaſſes, *horn and ivory muſtard ſpoons*, and an aſſortment of cutlery, wholeſale and retail.

IMPORTED, and to be ſold low for caſh, by
RICHARD PARKER,
In Third-ſtreet, the fifth door above Market-ſtreet,

CALICOES, ſtriped perſians, maſqueraded Bengals, China and Engliſh taffeties, ſilk damaſks, ſagguchies, fuſtians, durants, ſhaloons, calimancoes, camblets, poplins, allopeens, damaſks, everlaſtings, broadcloths, Jerman ſerges, ſtrouds, halfthicks, flannels, emboſſed ſerges, ſpotted ſwanſkins, red long ells, carpeting, Iriſh linens, Ruſſia and Iriſh ſheetings, Ruſſia drillings, Flanders bed ticks, bed bunts, yd. wd. and 7-8ths cotton and linen checks, yd. and 3-8ths ditto, 3-qr. ditto, dowlaſes, princes linens, ozenbrigs, a variety of ſtampt handkerchiefs, ſilk and cotton romals, ſpotted bandanoes, flowered ditto, breeches patterns, cotton velvet ſhapes, ſilk valure ditto, hair ſhapes, wrought nankeen ditto, ſewing ſilks, a large aſſortment of ribbons, ferrets, coloured threads, white and brown ditto, Scotch and Nuns ditto, bobbins and tapes, mohair, ſilk and hair, ſcarf, twiſt and horſe hair buttons, white and yellow metal d tto, lacquered and double gilt ditto, horn ditto, mens and womens horſe whips, chaiſe whips, whip laſhes, writing paper, ſealing wax, wafers, receipt books, pocket books, temple ſpectacles, ſnuff in bladders, ditto in bottles, black, blue, green, buff, ſcarlet and cloth coloured mohair, ſilk and hair, beſt ſcarff twiſt, cords, broad and narrow worſted bindings, galloon and ſtay cord, bed lace, nonſopretties, pins, common needles, Whitechapel and ſquare ditto, darning and looping ditto, knitting needles, kerby perch hooks, rock ditto, fiſhing rods, ditto reels, ivory and horn combs, ditto in caſes, beſt HV double wormed gimblets, common ditto, ſadlery, braſs cocks, candleſticks, ſnuff boxes, braſs ink pots, leather ditto, curtain rings, key ditto, taylors ſhears, ſciſſars, locks and hinges, eſcutcheons, wood ſcrews, tenter hooks, ſteel and braſs thimbles, pinchbeck ditto, ſtay hooks, white and yellow metal ſleeve buttons, glaſs ſet ditto, pinchbeck gilt ditto, ſilver watches, ſilvered watch chains, ſteel and pinchbeck ditto, ſteel watch keys, ſeals, piſtol capt penknives, cutteaus, Barlow penknives, ſeal end ditto, caſt-ſteel razors, carpenters and ſhoemakers hammers, pinchers, nippers, tacks and awl blades, Indian ditto, pinchbeck, ſteel, whitemetal and braſs ſhoe and knee buckles, buckle chapes, ſtock buckles, hoes and axes, ſcale beams, flat irons, box irons, wool and cotton cards, jack cards, chimney tin, braſs wire, boxes of tin plates, ſcythes and ſickles, bar lead, pidgeon ſhot, duck and ſwan ditto, window glaſs, braſs kettles, warming pans, coffee pots, pewter, tin ware, japanned, gilt and plain, French indigo, red chalk, bohea tea, nutmegs, cinnamon, brimſtone, black lead, vermillion, ſtone ware in crates, delf ware, lanthorns, beſt oil flints, foot rules, joint yards, bottled port and claret, old Madeira wines, &c. &c. &c.

Philadelphia, May 18, 1769.

To be SOLD, by the SUBSCRIBER,

ONE undivided third part of Elizabeth Furnace, in Lancaſter county, and of the lands thereunto belonging, containing 11,124 acres.

One undivided third part of Charming Forge, in Berks county, and of the lands belonging to it, containing 4220 acres; there is an inexhauſtible quantity of the beſt ore belonging to theſe works, and wood ſufficient to ſupply them for any time to come.

Two hundred acres of good land in Lancaſter county, unimproved, near Harris's ferry.

A valuable plantation in Huntington townſhip, York county, containing 520 acres of land; on this place are erected, a good dwelling-houſe, barn, ſtables, and other out-houſes; there are 150 acres of good meadow on this place, part of which is cleared.

Six thouſand ſeven hundred acres of very good land in the county of Cumberland.

A houſe and lot in the town of Reading, which now letts for Eight Pounds per annum.

Any perſon or perſons inclining to purchaſe the above eſtate, or any part thereof, may enquire for further particulars of the Subſcriber, at his houſe, in Market-ſtreet,

3 M. ALEXANDER STEDMAN.

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